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Dear Mr. Brooks:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 24th and thank you for your courteous consideration of the suggestions which I made.

This morning I received a cable from Gisevius stating that following Swiss legal advice he had given the world copyright to Fretz & Wasmuth who were looking after his interests. He suggested further that I sign the contract for Fretz & Wasmuth as authorized by their last cable to me.

As no substantial delay would be involved in sending the contract to Zurich for signature by Fretz & Wasmuth themselves, I think it is highly preferable to handle the matter in this way, particularly as I do not have a copy of the agreement which may have been reached between Gisevius and Fretz & Wasmuth.

Consequently I suggest that you send them a copy of the revised contract for their signature. You may, of course, wish to include in such contract such representations as you may consider appropriate concerning the rights of Fretz & Wasmuth to conclude it, as I naturally cannot pass on this point.

MR. \_\_\_\_\_ ☐  
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